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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner For Patents
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of March 27, 2003 finally rejecting claims 1-35, 38, 40-44 and 48-50.

A check including the amount of \$320.00, for the payment of the appeal fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b) is enclosed herewith.

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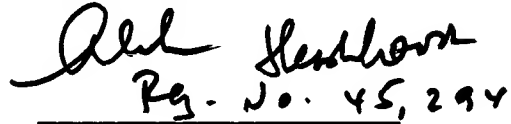
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If there are any questions about this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,
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